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Rail Road Heritage Gallery

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Mysuru, July 27 (RK&DM)- Want to trace the evolution of Railways in Mysuru region through rare photographs? Here is a golden opportunity for you to do so, on Platform Number 1 of the City Railway Station. Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha inaugurated the new Rail-Road Heritage Gallery at the Railway Station this morning.

The gallery traces the evolution of Railways in Mysuru region through rare photographs from 1822 to 1950s and showcases the visits of dignitaries in yesteryears to Mysuru, including Mahatma Gandhi, former President Dr. S. Radhakrishnan, India's first Prime Minster Jawaharlal Nehru and also the current Prime Minister Narendra Modi with Train 18.

There is no entry free and all passengers waiting in the Railway Station can have a glimpse of the unique gallery.

The diorama of railroad depicting iconic Mysuru Railway Station and other places of tourist importance like Chamundi Hill, Clock Tower and Mysore Palace has also been spruced up with better illumination. The scaled miniature trains criss-crossing the parameters of the layout is a treat to the visitors.

(See GALLERY on page 13)

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Rousing reception to

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The newly sworn-in Chief Minister of Karnataka B.S. Yediyurappa was accorded a rousing reception by his supporters, relatives and family members on his arrival at his native village Bookanakere in K.R. Pet taluk of Mandya district this morning. [More reports inside]

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Taking for granted

The English idiom *Take for Granted* succinctly represents the outlook of most people marked by underestimating the value of any of the things in use making life more comfortable than before, particularly the *inventions* as common as the telephone simply because it will always be available. The 16th century English proverb *Necessity is the Mother of Invention*, the author of which expression is unknown, although ascribed to Plato, underlines the factor of *necessity*, the primary driving force for most inventions. Among the inventions that are common place in our times but not bestowed the value it deserves is velcro, the ubiquitous hook-and-loop fastener. Maybe, condom also has suffered the same fate.

If the simple definition of *invention*, that it is a creation of something that has never been made before is accepted, one is left baffled at the thousands of tasty, nutritious and tongue-tickling dishes in their thousands consumed with boundless delight by the land's masses but with no knowledge who were their inventors. It is considered not either worthwhile or necessary to gratefully remember the inventors of such commonly consumed snacks such as *masala dosa* or *idli*. The grandmothers, who gave hundreds of such snacks in years long past, are hardly given the credit.

The factor of craving for making life easier and even less expensive is well-taken, but the consequence of disrupting industries that have provided livelihood to the workforce is a serious matter that may not loom large in the minds of the inventors. The example of plastic has no equal as an example of that consequence.

Two inventions, namely *fire* and *wheel*, the first derived from nature and the second 100 per cent product of human imagination, stand out as examples of what life would be like without either of them. Each year countless new products, result of invention, appear on the market. Their creators ensure exclusive credit and also monetary benefit from their exploitation by industry by patenting. Countries are ranked for the number of patents granted by the authorised global agency each year. Inventions and innovations, subject to rigorous screening for their newness and utility based on 80 indicators, are reckoned by the World Intellectual Property organisation, an agency of the United Nations for computing Global Innovation Index. India has reportedly figured among the top 50 countries as an elite member of the club among 126 countries.

Products and processes emerging in the form of inventions are sure to cause excitement. Taking the examples of nuclear weapons and plastic, it behoves the inventors to be wary of their disaster consequences and taking things for granted. Even the renowned Physicist Albert Einstein regretted his famed formula $E=mc^2$.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

One of the major reasons why women are unable to join the labour force in sufficient numbers is that they fulfil a very time-consuming responsibility of bearing and bringing up children. If women bear many children then they are inhibited more from joining the labour force. Conversely, if they start bearing lesser children mostly in response to falling infant and child mortality, they get freer to join labour force. If female labour force participation rises, but the employment rate does not, the few additional women who join the labour force will face increasing disappointment in not finding jobs. If this continues for some time, it may discourage women from joining the labour force any further. India will then lose an opportunity to increase labour participation to drive growth based on the prosperity of households. *— Mahesh Vyas in Business Standard*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Vietnamese villa with a tomb in the living room

Ben Tre: A famous villa in the Vietnamese province of Ben Tre has a Tomb in the middle of the living room.

The famous "Tomb Villa" looks like an ordinary household, but step foot through the front door and you'll notice that instead of the usual dining table there is a creepy marble tomb complete with a shrine to the person buried in it.

Living in a mansion with a tomb in the middle of the living room sounds like the plot of a horror movie, but for the inhabitants of the so-called Tomb Villa of Tan Thac Commune it's everyday life. It sounds unbelievable, and many people still don't believe it, especially since Vietnamese law clearly states that burials can only be carried out in cemeteries or on the holy ground of churches and temples, but the story of this unique villa has been documented online for over a decade now. It's an inhabited house with an occupied tomb in the middle of the living room...

Shoes as collateral to prevent beer glass theft

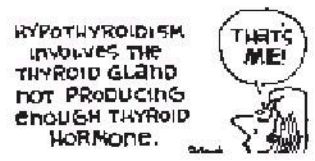
Ghent: In a bid to prevent beer glass theft, a bar in Ghent, Belgium is now asking its visitors to hand over one of their shoes as collateral.

Tourists flock to beer bars when visiting the European country, but lately many of them have developed a habit of leaving with a souvenir. Philip Maes, owner of The Beer Wall bar in Bruges, said that he loses over 4,000 beer glasses a year, which can get pretty expensive, as many of these glasses are elaborate works of art custom made for his establishment.

A beer glass can cost up to 50 euros ($55) so having thousands of them stolen adds up to a significant financial loss. So Maes and other bar owners have implemented security measures to discourage beer glass thefts.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

How common is Hypothyroidism?



An estimated 10 to 25 million people suffer from an under-active thyroid gland. Symptoms of under-active thyroid include: Weight gain, fatigue, dry skin, cognitive impairment, low libido and depression. Women and people over 50 are more likely to suffer from thyroid issues.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Get-together of Kodava Assn.

Mysuru, July 27- The 18th annual get-together of Kuvempunagar Kodava Residents Association, Mysuru, will be held tomorrow (July 28) at 10 am at Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Community Hall, Kodava Samaja, Vijayanagar 1st Stage.

Association President Iythichanda P. Kalappa will preside.

Courses at Music Varsity

Mysuru, July 27-Karnataka State Dr. Gangubai Hangal Music and Performing Arts University has invited applications from eligible candidates for admission to Diploma and BA courses in Karnatak/Hindustani Music, Tabla, Veena, Mridanga, Bharatanatyam and theatre works as well as MA and D. Lit courses.

For MA, those who have passed in any degree courses will be selected based on marks procured in entrance exam conducted by University. For D. Lit, those who have done research in music, dance, drama and any visual art forms and having published research papers and books are eligible. Last date to obtain and submit the applications is July 31. For details, visit the Music University on JLB Road in Lakshmipuram or call Ph: 0821-2419443 or 2402141 or the website: *www.musicuniversity.ac.in.*

Bags Dr. Abdul Kalam Award

Mysuru, July 27-The Global Economic Progress and Research Association (GEPRA), New Delhi, has awarded **Dr. L. Yathisha,** Associate Professor, Department of ECE, ATME College of Engineering, Mysuru with *Bharat Ratna Dr. Abdul Kalam Award* for excellence in Education and Research.

The award consisting of a trophy, certificate and a gold medal was presented at a private hotel in Bengaluru recently.

Really...?

- ***The Velcro fastener was invented when a Swiss man named George de Mestral went for a walk with his dog in the woods and thought the burrs that clung to his trousers could be turned into something useful.***
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LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

My Chinese friend got really sick one day and had to go to a hospital. I went to see him the next day. He just kept whispering "yang qi guan" over and over and then died. I was very sad and Googled his last message after the burial. Apparently, it means "You're standing on my oxygen tube."

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VOICE OF THE READER

Traffic signal lights needed

Sir,

In spite of having barricades to slow down vehicles on Hunsur Road, the woes faced by the motorists at the "T" junction of Gokulam Road and Hunsur Road is yet to be mitigated. Vehicles come from three directions and block free movement towards all the three directions causing utter confusion.

Every motorist is "in a hurry" and no one wants to give space for fellow drivers/riders. Earlier Home Guards used to be seen around this junction and now at times we find a Traffic Policeman sitting on his two-wheeler much away from the junction, busy with his mobile.

It is high time traffic signals are erected at this junction. Our Traffic Police Department is earning a good revenue, as fine from the traffic rules violators and they will continue to earn, since many Mysureans do not believe in adhering to basic traffic rules.

At least a part of the penalty collected should be ploughed back to the society to mitigate the woes faced by the tax-payers.

I request the authorities concerned to seriously consider to erect traffic signal lights at the junction of Gokulam Road and Hunsur Road.

—K. Chandrahas
on e-mail

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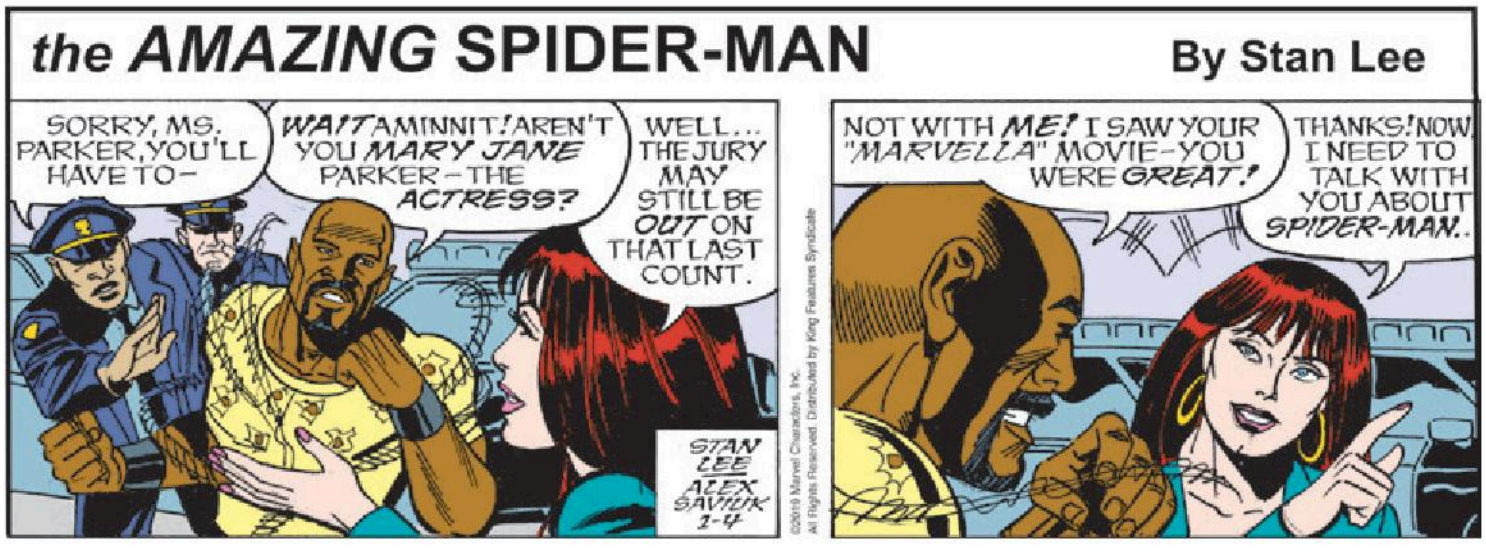
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NEWS BRIEFS

Book release tomorrow

Sri Venkatesha Sabha is celebrating its centenary this year (2018-19). Marking the centenary celebrations, Srimadabhinava Vageesha Brahmatantra Swatantra Parakala Swamiji will release two books titled 'Ghantavatara Vaibhavam' and 'Acharya Stotrani - 2' at a programme to take place at Sarada Vilas Centenary Hall in Krishnamurthypuram at 11.30 am tomorrow (July 28). Prior to this, the 750th Tirunakshatra Mahotsava will be held at 10 am (July 28). Former C-DAC Director Dr. P. Ramanujam will be the guest of honour. For details, contact Mob: 99800-27696.

Music concert tomorrow

As part of Guru Purnima, Layavidya Pratishtana will be conducting a Musical Concert (Vid. Bellary M. Raghavendra and team) at 'Sankeertana,' No.4, 12th Block, SBM Colony, near Canara Bank, Srirampura Second Stage, at 6 pm tomorrow (July 28). Also, Veda Brahma S. Vishwanath Shastri will deliver talk on 'Guru-Shishya Tradition in Indian Culture.' Arjuna Avadhoota Swamiji of Swarnanrusimha Sai Peethika Seva Trust will grace the occasion. For details, contact Mob: 94484-33988, according to a press release.

Calling auditors

As per the Co-operation Societies Act, all auditors are required to compulsorily submit audit reports of the Co-operative Societies they have audited to the competent authorities by Sept.1, 2019. Also, all the Societies, including Souharda Co-operative Societies, are required to get approval of the audit report at their Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) before Sept.25 and submit the same at the office of the Deputy Director (Audit) of Co-operative Societies in their district within seven days of getting approved at the AGM, according to a press release.

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Three poachers arrested inside Nagarahole National Park

Hunsur, July 27 (Raghu&BCT)- In an effort to curb the entry of poachers, illegal miners, timber smugglers and encroachers while protecting forests, frontline Forest Department employees at Nagarahole National Park have arrested three poachers with arms and ammunition.

Department staff cornered the three persons on the night of July 25 while they were trying to make an entry into the protected forests to poach animals at Hebbala area under Anechowkur Wildlife Rage.

The arrested have been identified as 32-year-old Nanaiah from Nalloor village near Ponnampet in Kodagu, 45-year-old Narendra, a bus driver from Ponnampet and 32-year-old Manju, an estate worker at Mathoor village, also near Ponnampet.

A Single Barrel Breach Loading (SBBL) gun, six cartridges, three knives, batteries and improvised torches, two bags and Omni vehicle (KA-03 MA-6657) have been seized. Forest staff said that the poachers were attempting to kill a spotted deer for meat. Two more persons are involved in the case and efforts are on to trace them.

Range Forest Officer Shivanand Ningani, DRFO D. Shivaprasad and Yogeshawari Desai, Forest Guard Nataraj, Watchers Vishwanath and Subramani and drivers Azaruddin and Siraj participated in the operation.

Tiger, wild boar die after fierce battle

Gundlupet, July 27 (SOMG &BCT)- A tiger was killed in a fierce battle with a wild boar at Maguvinahalli village inside the Bandipur Tiger Reserve. The village comes under Himavad Gopalaswamy Range of the National Park.

The incident occurred last night or early this morning and the feline's carcass was found by Forest Watchers who were on their usual rounds. Initially it was suspected that the tiger was knocked down by a speeding vehicle. On closer examination, the forest staff found a couple of wounds, bite marks and tusk marks. Officials ruled out the possibility of accident.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Project Tiger and Director of Bandipur Tiger Reserve T. Balachandra said that when the Forest Department team searched the surrounding areas they found a partially eaten carcass of a wild boar. "The hungry tiger would have hunted down the wild boar and the boar would have resisted which resulted in a fierce battle," he said.

After killing the boar, the tiger had eaten a part of it but could not survive the bite and tusk wounds delivered by the wild boar. Wild boars are equipped with thick, razor-sharp tusks, and a sharp mind. They are extremely dangerous and one small slip, the hunter becomes the hunted, said Forest officials.

Balachandra and veterinarian D.N. Nagaraj visited the spot and a post-mortem is being conducted to determine the real cause of the death. The carcass will be disposed of as per the National Tiger Conservation guidelines, officials added.

Suspected teak wood smuggler killed as vehicle overturns

Mandya, July 27- A suspected teakwood smuggler from Kodagu was killed when a vehicle, laden with the wood, overturned at the Regional Forest Park at Induvalu in Mandya taluk early on Friday.

Manju (40) from Kodagu district is the deceased. Manju, who was part of a four-member gang, had entered the Induvalu Nature Park (Induvalu Prakruti Udyanavana) late on Thursday night and chopped off some teakwood trees using electric or battery-operated power saws.

After loading the teakwood logs into the vehicle, the four-member gang left the place. But minutes later, the vehicle overturned near a tree they had chopped off, resulting in Manju getting trapped under the logs, while three others who escaped unhurt, fled from the spot. Manju, who sustained serious injuries, was rushed to K.R. Hospital, where he breathed his last sometimes later.

The Police have seized the vehicle and are investigating.

Meanwhile, environmentalists and locals have demanded a thorough probe into the chopping of timber in the protected regional forest.

Deputy conservator of Forest N. Shivaraju said that Patrolling in the Nature Park will be intensified to check smuggling of teakwood and other precious trees.

Unidentified body found

Mysuru, July 27 (US)- Railway Police have found the body of an unidentified man aged about 55 years lying on the railway track between Naganahalli and Pandavapura. The deceased in said to be round-faced, medium built, wheatish complexion, 5.6 ft tall wearing brown trousers and white shirt with checks.

Next of the kin of the deceased, if any, should contact Mysuru Railway Police on Ph: 0821-2516579.

Mandya DC offers prayers at KRS for rains

Mandya, July 27 (Nagaiah&DM)- With the monsoon playing truant and the district facing severe water crisis, the District Administration offered special prayers at KRS Dam in Srirangapatna taluk on Friday.

A team of officials led by Mandya DC Manjushree and SP Shivaprakash Devraj offered special prayers to Goddess Cauvery at KRS, praying the almighty for good rainfall and filling up of the reservoir.

HC issues notice to Prajwal on alleged false affidavit

Prajwal Revanna

Bengaluru, July 27- The Karnataka High Court (HC) on Friday issued a notice to Hassan MP Prajwal Revanna (son of former Minister H.D. Revanna) to personally explain on the charges that he had made false claims on Income Tax Returns, to the Election Commission (EC).

The High Court was hearing a petition filed by the defeated BJP candidate A. Manju, who sought disqualification of Prajwal Revanna as Hassan MP for filing false Income Tax Returns to the EC.

Justice John Michael D'Cunha, who heard Manju's petition, ordered Prajwal Revanna to appear in person or make a submission through his advocate on Aug. 18.

The Court also issued notices to the other respondents in the case — K.H. Vinod Raj, H.M. Chandregowda, M. Lokesh and R.G. Satish.

Maha Rudra Abhisheka on July 29

Mysuru, July 27- Pushpanjali, a social, non-profit organisation, Yadavagiri, is performing *Maha Rudra Abhisheka* for *Lok Kalyan* (Universal Peace and Prosperity) for the 3rd consecutive year on July 29 at Sri Krishna Temple, Alwar Kala Bhavan, Gokulam, 3rd Stage, between 4 pm and 9 pm. The event will be concluded with distribution of *Prasadam* to devotees.For details contact Secretary Vikash Barida on Mob: 99005-09055.

Ground Water Authority to grant licence to drill borewells

Mysuru, July 27- The Karnataka Ground Water Authority has invited applications for granting licence to drill borewells for industrial, commercial and amusement purposes in the city and district. Applications must be submitted in Form-1B format seeking licence to dig borewells and in Form-4 for registration of ground water consumers. The filled in forms along with fee and documents must be submitted to the Directorate of Ground Water, Mysuru District, # 899, 3rd Main Road, 13th Cross, Saraswathipuram. For details, call Ph: 0821-2340619 or e-mail: *sggwsmys@gmail.com*

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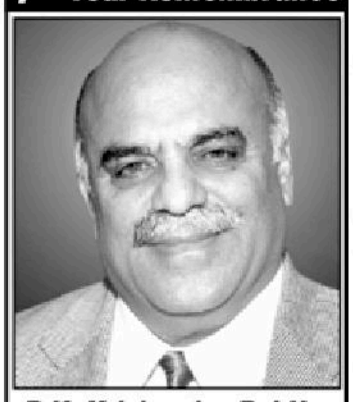

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'D' Out, 'I' In: Yediyurappa, not Yeddyurappa, sworn-in as CM

Bengaluru, July 27 (UNI)- Just days after he dropped a 'd' and added 'i' to his name going back to his earlier spelling of 'Yediyurappa' on the advice of numerologists, BJP State President B.S. Yeddyurappa (now with his new spelling Yediyurappa) was sworn-in for the fourth time as the Chief Minister of Karnataka by Governor Vajubhai R. Vala.

The glittering ceremony was held at the Glass House in Raj Bhavan in Bengaluru last evening. The swearing-in was marked by loud cheers from BJP leaders and workers who had assembled in large numbers. The Raj Bhavan was bursting at its seams with crowds spilling onto the road.

Wearing green shawl promising that his Government will always stand by the farmers and serve them, 76-year-old Yediyurappa took oath in the name of God.

Interestingly, he has used the latest spelling for most of his life, from winning his first election in 1975 as a member of the Shikaripura Town Municipality till he became CM for the first time for just seven days in 2007 in a coalition agreement with the JD(S).

But around the time he became CM, he changed his name to 'Yeddyurappa' on the advice of numerologists. At the time, the move had attracted quite a bit of ridicule. Newspapers shortened his name to 'Yeddy', which in Kannada means derogatory. His media team had to tell editors to shorten his name to BSY, instead of the offending 'Yeddy.'

Yesterday the BJP stalwart's oath-taking ceremony was attended by BJP Central Committee Organising Secretary B.L. Santosh besides Political In-charge for Karnataka Muralidhar Rao and Union Minister D.V. Sadananda Gowda.

B.S. Yediyurappa being sworn in as Chief Minister by Governor Vajubhai R. Vala at Raj Bhavan yesterday.

Sadananda Gowda said BJP coming back to power in Karnataka was a big boost for the party to strengthen its base in South India. "This marks the end of the 14-month 'bad rule' by JD(S)-Congress Government," he said.

Kumaraswamy breaks tradition

Soon after taking oath, BSY went to Vidhana Soudha and entered the Chief Minister's Office where the name board had already been changed to Yediyurappa. He offered prayers before entering the room.

Former CM H.D. Kumaraswamy, who lost his Trust Vote recently, was conspicuous by his absence at the ceremony.

Usually, the immediate past CM or a PM attends the next CM's swearing-in ceremony and this has been a tradition even if the new CM is from the rival party. Kumaraswamy chose not to attend Yediyurappa's oath-taking, breaking a set tradition.

Meanwhile, State Advocate General Uday Holla, who worked under Kumaraswamy, tendered his resignation soon after Yediyurappa assumed charge last evening.

Floor Test on July 29

Yediyurappa will move the Confidence Motion to prove majority of his BJP Government on July 29 in the Legislative Assembly. Briefing newsmen after being sworn-in as Chief Minister and holding customary Cabinet meeting, he said that after seeking Floor Test to prove his majority, he will immediately move the Finance Bill, which is very important to ensure salaries to the State Government employees from August.

He said that his Government will also waive loans to the extent of Rs. 100 crore to benefit weavers and contribute Rs. 4,000 to Prime Minister's 'Kisan Samman' under which the Central Government gives Rs. 6,000 per year.

A host of dignitaries attending Yediyurappa's oath-taking ceremony yesterday.

'BJP regime will be stable'

New Delhi, July 27 (UNI)- Ending speculation that the party high command had differences over backing B.S. Yediyurappa to make another shot at running a coalition regime in Karnataka, the BJP Central leaders backed the new dispensation and hoped it will herald a 'new dawn' for the State.

Amit Shah

"Congrats to B.S. Yediyurappa, newly sworn in CM of Karnataka. I am sure under his leadership and under the guidance of PM Modi, BJP will give a stable, pro-farmer and development-oriented Government. I assure people of Karnataka that BJP is committed to fulfil their aspirations," BJP President and Union Home Minister Amit Shah tweeted.

In fact, there was speculation over whether the Central BJP leaders did not favour Yediyurappa trying his luck with power yet again as he had failed last year after Governor had given him opportunity as leader of the single largest party.

BJP MP Shobha Karandlaje, also known for being a key member of Team Yediyurappa, was the first to claim that Amit Shah and Party's Working President J.P. Nadda had backed BSY.

BSY's fortunes come a full topsy-turvy circle

Bengaluru, July 27 (UNI)- Bookanakere Siddalingappa Yediyurappa (BSY) completed a full circle in his political career yesterday when he was sworn-in as Chief Minister of Karnataka for the fourth time.

Yediyurappa, credited with establishing BJP as a force in South India, will prove his majority by July 29 in the 225-Member State Legislative Assembly. The new Council of Ministers will be named after the trial of strength, he told reporters.

Yediyurappa began his political career as a Councillor in Shikaripura Municipality in 1965 and built BJP in Karnataka, its solitary bastion in the South. In 2008, BJP came to power on its own for the first time in a State in South India.

Yediyurappa was elected as MLA from Shikaripura, his home segment and went on to become Deputy Chief Minister, Lok Sabha Member as well as Chief Minister, in his over four decades of public life. A die-hard fighter, he made his mark when he led a *padayatra* from Shivamogga to Bengaluru taking up the issues of farmers. He was imprisoned during Emergency.

He became CM in November 2007 for the first time but his stint lasted only seven days as its ally JD(S) decided not to support his Government. He had the last laugh, though, when he led the BJP to emerge as the single largest party in the 2008 Assembly elections with 110 seats. Yediyurappa formed the Government by securing the support of five Independent MLAs.

The veteran leader, however, had to resign following charges of illegal mining and denotification of revenue land in 2011. Thereafter, he floated his own party Karnataka Janata Paksha (KJP). In the 2013 Assembly elections, the BJP fared miserably after the split.

Ahead of the 2014 Assembly elections he returned to his parent party, after Narendra Modi-led BJP stormed to power at the Centre. After merging his KJP with the BJP, Yediyurappa was elected to the Lok Sabha with a huge margin of over 3.25 lakh votes from Shivamogga.

Ahead of the 2018 Assembly elections, he chose to return to State politics. In the polls, BJP emerged as the single largest party securing 105 seats and staked claim to form the Government but could not muster the required number to prove majority in the House. Congress and JD(S) came together to form a coalition government but it collapsed.

During the NaMo wave, Yediyurappa ensured BJP's victory in 25 out of 28 Lok Sabha seats in the high-tech hub. The JD(S)-Congress Coalition Government was mired in infighting and was reduced to a minority when 16 MLAs of the coalition resigned.

City BJP celebrates Yediyurappa's return to power as CM

Mysuru, July 27 (SPN&DM)- City BJP workers celebrated the ascension of B.S. Yediyurappa (BSY) as the Chief Minister of the State for the fourth time, by bursting crackers in front of the party office in Chamarajapuram here last evening.

Addressing the party workers, former KEA Chairman B.P. Manjunath lashed out at JD(S) and Congress leaders for making baseless charges against BSY.

Accusing the Congress and JD(S) of criticising Prime Minister Narendra Modi in singular in the run up to the Lok Sabha polls, Manjunath ridiculed the Congress and JD(S) leaders for calling the BJP a communal party.

Maintaining that the new BJP Government headed by Yediyurappa will provide a stable and clean Government, Manjunath asserted that the party workers will take the schemes launched by the Union Government to the doorsteps of the people.

Alleging that the Congress and JD(S) had entered into an unholy alliance in order to form the Government and keep the BJP out of power, he said that the 14-month rule of the Coalition Government was mired in corruption and maladministration.

Claiming that the BJP Government headed by Yediyurappa will provide a stable and strong administration, he thanked the people for supporting the BJP in the LS and Assembly polls.

Later, the party workers waving party flags took out a procession from the party office to Ramaswamy Circle.

Corporators B.V. Manjunath and Shivakumar, leaders Varakodu Prakash, S.T. Mahendra, Doora Manjunath, Devaraj and others were present.

MP Sumalatha presents memorandum to Union HRD Minister

Mandya, July 27 (Nagaiah&DM)- Mandya MP Sumalatha Ambarish presented a memorandum to Union Human Resource Development (HRD) Minister Ramesh Pokhriyal recently, urging him to address the problems at Mandya Kendriya Vidyalaya (KV). Sumalatha, who met Pokhriyal at the Union HRD Ministry in New Delhi, apprised him of the problems in Mandya KV, which lacked necessary infrastructure. After the meeting, Sumalatha tweeted that the Union Minister has promised to address the KV problems.

It may be mentioned here that MP Sumalatha had raised issues such as release of KRS water to canals and several other developmental works in the Constituency.

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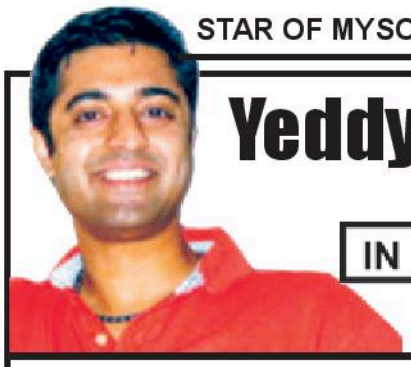

Yeddy won the BATTLE but... Siddu won the WAR

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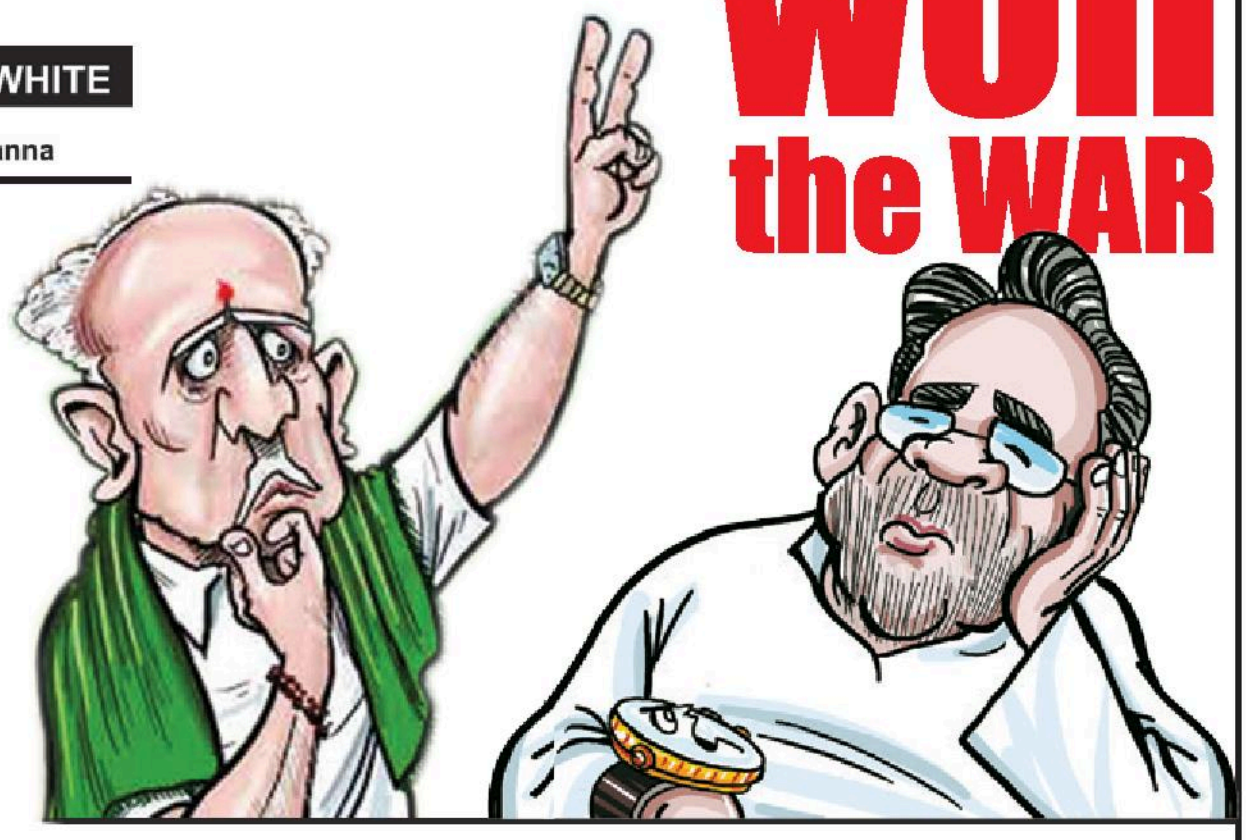

B. S. Yediyurappa has been sworn-in a fourth time as CM but can he complete his term this time at least? To begin with, he has to win the Trust Vote on Monday and then get the Finance Bill passed by Wednesday so the Government employees can get their salaries.

Then comes the challenge of changing the Speaker and accommodating 'select' rebels into his Ministry without disappointing old BJP MLAs. This is a tough task given the CM cannot exceed 34 Ministerial berths.

And then comes the toughest part, by-elections. BJP will have to win at least 8 out of 16 seats in the by-elections to get a simple majority of 113. We have to remember all these 16 seats belong to JD(S) and Congress right now, which means it will be difficult to snatch them away.

At the moment, all that the BJP has to do is make sure on Monday the Trust Vote goes smoothly which will guarantee Yediyurappa gets at least six months in power. A Government that has won a Trust Vote cannot be asked to prove its majority before the end of six months but after six months... Congress can move a No-Confidence Motion if they can poach some disgruntled BJP MLAs.

But that will depend on the 'S' factor. The BJP has, according to H.D. Kumaraswamy (HDK), tried to bring down the JD(S) - Congress coalition 6 times before, but succeed this time. Now, the BJP in its 7th attempt didn't deploy any new strategy, so what changed? Was it the 'S' factor — Siddharamaiah.

The whole world knows Siddharamaiah does not like H.D. Deve Gowda and family. And he has good reason not to like them. After all, H.D. Deve Gowda and H.D. Kumaraswamy forced Siddharamaiah to quit JD(S), a party which he had helped build.

He walked out of the party calling it a "father-son" party. Siddu then joined Congress and went on to become the CM and complete a full term. Now the truth is if not for the force of Rahul Gandhi Siddharamaiah would have never agreed for a coalition with JD(S).

As if a coalition with his old nemesis was not bad enough he was then made to sit in the Government powerlessly and watch a party that had just 16% seats and a family that he disliked, assume, consume and wield all the power. Did the Congress think Siddharamaiah would sit quietly and allow himself to be enfeebled? No way.

Siddharamaiah may have been just biding his time. And his time came the day Rahul Gandhi resigned and left Congress a leaderless and rudderless party.

Soon Siddu cut loose his loyalists. And soon enough he taught the 'father-son' a lesson. Sweet revenge. And the beneficiary of this game of thrones was Yediyurappa. After all, 7 of the 16 rebels hiding out in Mumbai are Siddharamaiah loyalists.

Some say that the rebel MLAs were frustrated with JD(S) and took the decision on their own. Well, may be so, but we also heard a visibly irritated Siddharamaiah say, "*Rajinaame kottu hogalu heli*' (ask him to resign and go) referring to Kumaraswamy. This was picked up by a microphone that was not turned off during the Trust Vote! Even better, two days after the Trust Vote, on Thursday, one rebel MLA Shivaram Hebbar had visited his Constituency Yellapur in Uttara Kannada, where he said, "we just followed Siddharamaiah's advise"!

Also it is an open secret that Siddharamaiah wants to see the demise of JD(S) or at least the political failure of Deve Gowda family but as long as HDK is the CM, JD(S) will be well-funded and survive.

Every time a party comes to power they will develop enough "financial support structures" to survive for about a decade, depending on the number of elections they fight in between. So why would Siddu want HDK in power which will only enrich JD(S) and family that almost flung him into political oblivion?

The truth is Siddharamaiah much preferred a BJP Government with him as the Opposition leader rather than be an invalid in a coalition led by "father-son" party. And now he has got just that.

As of today, Congress Legislature Party leader Siddharamaiah is the Opposition leader. In an interesting blooper, Siddharamaiah during the Trust Vote said, "I am the Leader of the Opposition. Oh sorry, leader of Congress Legislature Party." His blooper resulted in laughter across the floor but look who's laughing now? Siddu is having the last laugh.

While getting rid of "father-son" party he has also managed to neutralise his competition within the Congress Party — Dr. G. Parameshwara and D. K. Shivakumar, who were Deputy CM and Water Resources Minister respectively are now power-less and position-less. Wah! Siddu, well-played.

For now, let's hope, for the sake of B.S. Yeddyurappa, who now spells his name with an 'i' as 'Yediyurappa' can complete his full term or else he might have to change his spelling once again to "*Yeddi-Yellidhirappa*" (Yeddi, where are you?) because BJP may cite his age, 76 and relegate him to the *Margadarshak Mandal.*

While the fight to rule Karnataka continues, in this round at least Yediyurappa may have won the battle to grab the throne but it is Siddharamaiah who has won the war, and in doing so Siddu may have turned the next poll battle into a two-party fight — BJP Vs Congress.

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Street Stories

Googling Mysuru Heritage Streets indicates long stretches of roads connecting main roads and thoroughfares with many small and lesser-known streets with its sections still referred to by old names. This dichotomy and historical ecosphere is sprinkled across the map of Mysuru and there is a mix of the archaic and avant-garde names, where British officials and Wadiyars share avenues with Indian luminaries and local heroes.

Many roads present a densely-packed urban fabric with a rich architectural heritage from the Wadiyar period. The Heritage streets of the city still have their unique charm, some of them bearing interesting history of the past.

Join Senior Journalist Gouri Satya in this *Weekend Star Supplement* on a quest of Mysuru city's finest stories behind the names of streets and explore the nooks and crannies.

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Mysuru: A Look at its Past...

By Gouri Satya, Sr.Journalist

What's in a Street? Name and Fame

Like Mohallas, Purams and Keris, streets in Mysuru have history to tell us. Many of the streets in the old city have hidden stories behind them and if compiled it can become a separate volume. They have so much of history to reveal we know very little or nothing of it.

These historic names have contributed much to the culture and heritage of our old royal city, about which we should take pride. Let me try to bring to the fore the hidden history of some randomly chosen streets in this article. Besides these, many other old streets and roads in Mysuru have hidden history to reveal. It is well worth tracing their historic background and walk back in time to the days of old royal Mysuru, may be of the period of Tipu Sultan or the Wadiyars.

It is these old streets, Mohallas and Keris, and landmark buildings and roads of the colonial era, which have contributed to the history and culture of Mysuru. This hoary past of history and heritage of this great city, a city of the royals and their dedicated subjects, needs to be preserved and protected, instead of destroying it. It is on such places cities elsewhere have built up their popularity and entered into the UNESCO heritage sites.

Pond of Goddess and Shiva Temple

The Devi Kola which literally means a pond of the Goddess on the Ramanuja Road. Apart from this beautiful pond amidst concrete structures, there is a temple of Kashi Vishwanatha or Eshwara inside the structure that at present looks like a haunted house.

Regular pujas are conducted inside the temple and there is a stream of visitors who come here every day. While the younger generations are unaware of this temple, many elders come here.

Local residents say that the property belongs to erstwhile Mysore royal family. The pond was earlier used by the residents to immerse Ganesha idols and due to the constant idol immersion, the pond was closed with weeds growing all over.

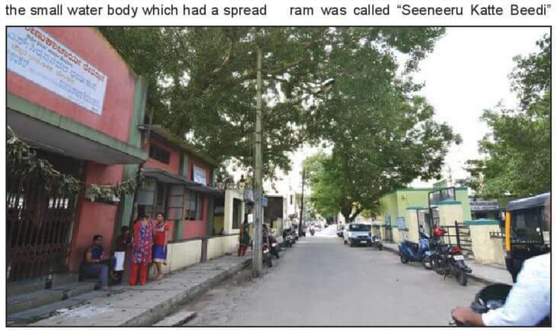
Three years back, a team of Good Samaritans cleaned up the pond and now a protective concrete wall has been built around the pond to prevent people from falling into the water. All local festivals including Maari Habba and marriages used to start earlier from this point. It was a starting point for the women to carry the auspicious Kalasha for any event.

A tank for growing greens

Soppina Kola Street in Agrahara of Krishnaraja Mohalla connects the Chamaraja Double Road with the Vani Vilasa Road. This street is now named as Renukacharya Street. As the very name indicates there was a small pond there and poor women of the area made a living by growing greens (Soppu) and sold them. Once the area began to develop, the small water body which had a spread up to the Thyagaraja Road disappeared and new houses and structures of cement and concrete came up all around, leaving an open place in the middle, where on one side the Mysuru City Corporation has a Mohalla office.

Similarly, the present Basaveshwara Road linking JSS Hospital in Fort Mohalla with Ramanuja Road in Vidyaranyapuram was called "Seeneeru Katte Beedi" or street. There must have been a water tank (katte) which provided sweet water to the residents there for drinking purposes. As the road lead to the 'Katte', it came to be known as **"Seeneeru (Sihi Neeru) Katte Beedi"** or street.

There were a couple of such tanks within the old city of Mysuru and in particular in low lying areas providing water to the local residents about a century or two ago.



This area of Soppina Kola Road near Renukacharya temple was a huge lake years ago. It provided drinking water to many areas around. Now it is the property of Mysuru City Corporation.

CHAVADI ROAD

'Chavadi Beedi' or Chavadi Street in Agrahara is a typical lane that has given its way to modernity. Earlier there were small houses on this lane where one could find women removing chaff (husk) from rice that has been procured from paddy. Now the same lanes have houses with big compound walls and grilled gates.

Kothwal Ramaiah to guard

In Devaraja Mohalla, from Dewan's Road, where it connects Dhanvanthri Road, up to Shivarampet Main Road, there is a Kothwal Ramaiah Street. Ramaiah was a Kothwal. Kothwal means Policeman. Kothwals were present during the middle of 1800s when Maharaja Krishnaraja Wadiyar III was reigning. The Head Kothwal had magisterial powers equal to those of an Amildar.

B.L. Rice in his book, "Mysore in General", writes, "The Bangalore Police was reorganised in 1861 and the Head Kothwal made Sir Amin, with magisterial powers equal to those of an Amildar,"

Ramaiah was one such Kothwal in Shivarampet. The near-by Jeevannarayana Katte was a water body then. Rain water flowed down from the upper levels and filled up the low-lying tank during the rainy season. People living around were going to the tank in the early hours of the morning to take a bath and fetch water to their homes. As there was no piped water supply those days, people residing in different localities had to depend upon the nearby tanks for water and that was the reason Mysuru had many tanks and channels.

The Kothwal kept a watch at such places to ensure the safety of people, particularly women who went early to the tanks. Generally, he was from the same area. Ramaiah was one such policeman who ensured safety of the people residing near Jeevannarayana Katte.

The Ane Sarot Street located behind Mannar's Market in Shivarampet that was earlier known as Devaparthiva Agrahara Ane Sarot Street.

Street for elephant-drawn Sarots

It was earlier known as **Devaparthiva Agrahara Ane Sarot Street,** behind Mannar's Market in Shivarampet, links Dufferin Clock Tower in Devaraja Mohalla. It is a busy commercial street today running via Boti Bazaar. It is not clear how this street came to be known as "Ane Sarot Street." However, as the very name indicates, Muslim residents in this area were perhaps either making elephant-drawn chariots, as we see one being taken out in Vijayadashami procession on the last day of Dasara, or were good in repairing and restoring them. **[Continued on page 12]**

WHERE HORSE SHOES WERE MADE EARLIER

The Bhakshi Basappaji Layada Rasthe near Agrahara that was once famous for making horse shoes. There were many small outlets that made the reverse 'U' shaped horse shoe with spaces for nails. These nails and the horse shoes used to be fixed to the hooves of the horses. Interestingly horse shoe is a well-known good luck symbol of the Western world — a charm used to protect against any form of evil and brings good luck.

OPEN SPACE TO TIE TAMED ELEPHANTS

This is a stretch of Mahatma Gandhi Road (M.G. Road) near Agrahara where the JSS Hospital is located. Earlier, the area where a red building stands now was an open space where tamed elephants used to be tied after they are brought from the elephant camps.

POSTMAN GETS CONFUSED HERE

This stretch on Ramanuja Road is really lost in rapid urbanisation. Now even the postman does not deliver letters to Devirammanni Agrahara unless Ramanuja Road is added to the address.

[Pics. by M.N. Lakshminarayana Yadav]

Turab Ali and his Machine Gun

A photo of a Mysore Lancer with sowar and horse.

There is a less-known Turab Ali Street in Mandi Mohalla. But, who is this Turab Ali? Mir Turab **Ali** enlisted himself as a sowar **(Mysore Lancers sowar and horse: The method of carrying small arms ammunition in a bandolier on the man and around the horse's neck.)** in the Imperial Service Lancers in 1903. The Imperial Service Lancers had been formed in 1893 with headquarters in Bengaluru for Imperial Service.

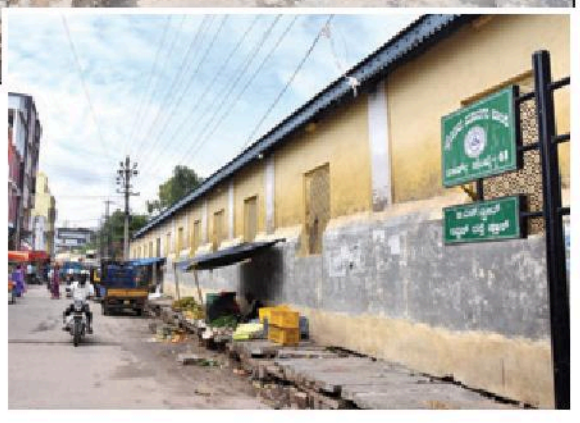
Turab Ali was only about 18 years old when he joined the Service. His intelligence and energy provided him opportunities to secure rapidly higher and higher positions and he left for active service to Egypt in October 1914. On arrival, he was detailed to undergo machine gun training and scarcely a week-old at this course his skill came to be tested during an attack on a Turkish redoubt at Belel-Mahadat. By the time Turab Ali fired 300 rounds out of his machine-gun, the gun got jammed. But the fire was so effective that those who survived beat a hasty retreat.

Turab Ali got his commission as Jamadar in January 1915 and was placed in charge of a machine-gun section. From then on, he actively took part in every engagement in which his regiment took part and specially distinguished himself in the attack upon Gaza in Palestine. He was for some time appointed instructor of the 15th machine-guns squadron. He trained two sub-sections of the Bikaner Camel Corps and Jodhpur Imperial Service Lancers.

Turab Ali accompanied the Imperial Service Cavalry Brigade to the Palestinian city of Jericho and took part in several engagements. For the display of gallantry and devotion to duty, his name was mentioned in despatches. He also took a conspicuous part in the capture of Haifa in Israel. Under a heavy fire of machine-gun and artillery, he led an attack upon a hillock capturing a Turkish officer, four machine-guns and other booty. One of these guns was brought to India by the regiment as a war trophy.

For these distinguished services, Turab Ali was awarded the Indian Order of Merit and the Maharaja promoted him to the position of a Risaldar. Turab Ali's historic background lies hidden in the street named after him, very few knowing his valour and fame.

The Nawab who brought Fire



Another street which has a historic background in Mandi Mohalla is the **Benki Nawab Street.** This street is named after Muhammad Reza, who was senior military commander in Tipu's army. This Sirdar was famous as 'Benki Nawab' or 'Binki Nawab'. The word 'Benki' in Kannada literary means 'fire', as we know.

Muhammad Reza was terror to the enemies as he brought fire and destruction to them. He caused devastation wherever he fought, and burnt alive the captured people in Malabar, apart from other enemies. While fighting against the British and their allies, he was killed at the battle of Siddheswar on March 5, 1799, two months prior to the defeat Tipu faced in the 4th Mysore War against the British and met an end. Subsequently, Benki Nawab's family and relatives settled down in Mandi Mohalla and the road came to be known after him.

Writing about him in the History of the Sultan, Mir Hussain Kirmani records in 1802, "The troops of the Sultan, however, still followed them and vigorously attacking them again, strained every nerve to rout and destroy them. At this critical period Muhammad Raza, Mir Maran, having by much entreaty obtained from the presence leave to charge, proceeded with his division like a raging lion towards the enemy, and stretching forth the arm of valour, it went near that the whole of the enemy's army was cut up and destroyed."

Venkata Subrahmanya Iyer becomes Shamanna

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'Veene Shamanna Road' at Old Agrahara near Agrahara Circle is dedicated to Veene Shamanna who was the court musician in Mysore and Tanjavoor. Shamanna was one of the renowned musicians of the Mysore Royal Durbar over 300 years ago.

Veene Shamanna's grandfather, Lakshamana Bhagwata travelled from Tanjavoor, in Tamil Nadu, in 1728. Venkata Subrahmanya Iyer was Veene Shamanna's original name and because of his bluish black complexion, elders and relatives affectionately called him Shamanna.

There are many interesting anecdotes about Shamanna's proficiency in music. Once a prominent visiting musician from the Northern part of the land came to Mysore Palace and threw a challenge to beat him by playing a 'Shatkaala Pallavi' on Jalatarangam.

Shamanna took up the challenge and played the 'Shatkaala Pallavi' and played a few more Pallavis, baffling the musician from the North who quietly left the place, accepting defeat. The Maharaja honoured Shamanna with a cash award of 1,500 Varahas.

Vidwan Shamanna was the only Asthana Vidwan who taught three consecutive generations of Mysore kings — Mummadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar, Chamaraja Wadiyar and Nalwadi Krishna Raja Wadiyar. He was the first music teacher of Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar's sisters also.

MP Pratap Simha flags off six-day week MEMU service

MP Pratap Simha, MLA L. Nagendra, MLC Marithibbegowda, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath, SWR DRM Aparna Garg, ADRM Devasahayam, General Manager Ajay Kumar Singh and others inside the MEMU train at City Railway Station this morning.

Mysuru, July 27 (RK&DM)- Meeting the demand of thousands of Railway commuters, the South Western Railway (SWR) has increased the frequency of MEMU (Mainline Electric Multiple Unit) Train (no. 06576/06575) between Mysuru and KSR Bengaluru, to six days a week.

Flagging off the Mysuru-Bengaluru MEMU train (increased frequency) at the City Railway Station this morning, Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha said that the KSR Bengaluru city-Mysuru-KSR Bengaluru city MEMU train will now run six days a week, instead of the earlier four days a week.

Pointing out that the increased frequency will enhance connectivity between Bengaluru and Mysuru, Simha said that the MEMU train will run on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday (except Sunday) in both directions with effect from July 29 with a revised time table.

The train will leave KSR Bengaluru Railway Station at 5.20 pm (17.20 hrs) and reach Mysuru at 8.20 pm (20.20 hrs). On the return journey, the train will leave Mysuru City Railway Station at 8.30 pm (20.30 hrs) and reach KSR Bengaluru Station 11.20 pm (23.20 hrs), he said.

Highlighting the benefits of the MEMU train, Simha said that the train comprises 8 cars and serves daily commuters with a passenger-friendly timing. The train fare is Rs. 30 between Mysuru and Bengaluru, he added. Explaining the progress made in Railway Projects after Narendra Modi became the Prime Minister, Simha expressed gratitude to Union Railway Minister Piyush Goyal and the Minister of State Suresh Angadi for expediting Railway infrastructure improvement works in the State.

Maintaining that almost all the demands of Railway commuters will be met by SWR in two years, the MP underlined the role of Railway networks in the progress of the country. Pointing out that Railway passengers need not wait anymore for Railway Budget to get new trains, the MP assured of introducing more number of trains between Mysuru and Bengaluru at regular intervals in the future.

Stating that the SWR is planning to introduce Mysuru-Thiruvananthapuram and Mysuru-Mumbai direct trains shortly, the MP, referring to other developmental projects, said that the works on the new building and incubation centre of Software Technology Parks of India coming at Hebbal Industrial Area in the city, Naganahalli Satellite Railway Station coming up on a 400 acre plot and Runway extension at Mysore Airport are being expedited.

He further said that the works on the Mysuru-Kushalnagar Railway track will soon be started. MLC Marithibbegowda urged for increasing the frequency of Mysuru-Varanasi Bi-weekly express train to six days a week. He wanted the SWR to consider introducing another train from Bengaluru to Mysuru between 4 pm and 5 pm.

Pointing out that though trains running between Mysuru and Bengaluru take just a little over 2 hours to reach Kengeri which is very much convenient to passengers alighting at Kengeri, the MLC wanted the SWR to take measures to cut down travel time between Kengeri and KSR Bengaluru Stations, which is now taking over 45 minutes, probably due to non-clearance at platforms in KSR Bengaluru Station.

Marithibbegowda demanded a halt at Palahalli coming between Naganahalli and Srirangapatna stations for morning and evening passenger trains.

Rail Road Heritage Gallery

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A Railway line to Kodagu has also been shown as the Railways have sanctioned the first phase of the new Railway line between Mysuru and Kushalnagar. Also, a new Cauvery bridge has been added.

There is a section on Bollywood's romance with Railways. Pictures of Bollywood celebrities from Dev Anand to Amitabh Bachchan to Shah Rukh Khan on trains and Railway Stations have been captured.

A video wall has been provided at the entrance that showcases the rich heritage of Indian Railways displaying rare rail videos and documentaries. The reorientation of vintage photographs thematically in the fully air-conditioned and well-lit room will be a must-see place for the rail users and for all Railway fans.

MLA L. Nagendra, MLC Marithibbegowda, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath, South Western Railway (SWR) Mysuru Division Divisional Railway Manager (DRM) Aparna Garg, ADRM Devasahayam, General Manager Ajay Kumar Singh, member of Railway Passengers Advisory Committee Giridhar and others were present.

Can't probe my senior, says City Top Cop

K.T. Balakrishna *Dr. A.S. Rao*

Mysuru, July 27 (RK&BCT)- Can a junior Police officer investigate a criminal case against his senior? No, says the rule book. There is a written rule in this regard in the Police Manual and as per the set tradition, the junior officer will not subject his superior officer to any investigation.

Following the set standard, Mysuru City Police Commissioner K.T. Balakrishna (DIG rank) has expressed his helplessness in launching a probe against his senior and former City Top Cop Dr. A. Subramanyeswara Rao, who is an IGP-rank officer. Balakrishna has written to Neelamani N. Raju, Director General and Inspector General of Police (DG&IGP) on July 15 in this regard.

Actual case

This is regarding irregularities case booked against former Chief Minister Siddharamaiah and 17 others (respondents) at Lakshmipuram Police Station (49/2018) over a house built by Siddharamaiah at Hinkal allegedly violating norms framed by Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA).

The case has been filed by M. Gangaraju of Kuvempunagar in city in the Court of 82nd Additional City Civil and Sessions Judge in Bengaluru. Apart from Siddharamaiah, former MUDA Chairmen C. Basavegowda and D. Dhruvakumar, MUDA Commissioner P.S. Kantharaju, MUDA Secretary K.M. Chandregowda and 13 others are the respondents in the case.

Based on the Court directive, the case has been registered in the Lakshmipuram Police Station.

According to the complainant, there are many MUDA properties worth more than Rs.500 crore under various survey numbers in Hinkal village where the present Badami MLA Siddharamaiah and his followers have allegedly committed irregularities.

Letter to Chief Secretary

The complainant Gangaraju had also written to the State Government (Chief Secretary) that as many senior and powerful politicians, IAS and KAS officers are involved in the irregularities, the local Police and the Administration cannot probe the case in a fair manner. As such, the probe must be handed over to CBI.

Also, the former City Police Commissioner Dr. A. Subramanyeswara Rao, misusing his powerful position, has furnished false information in the case to his higher officers and the Government, Gangaraju had stated in his letter. Gangaraju alleged that Rao had misused his power and had misled the officials amounting to dereliction of duty.

Top Cop's reasoning

Following the letter to the Chief Secretary, the DG&IGP office had asked the present Mysuru City Top Cop K.T. Balakrishna to look into the issue. In his letter to the DG&IGP Neelamani Raju, Balakrishna has stated that Dr. Subramanyeswara Rao is his senior and the allegations of furnishing false information against the officer cannot be probed as "according to rules, it will be inappropriate."

Balakrishna has further reasoned that the responsibility of holding an inquiry against Dr. Subramanyeswara Rao must be entrusted to an officer superior to Rao. When *Star of Mysore* reached out to Balakrishna for his comments, he was not available.

Initial complaint

The complainant had first approached the Principal Senior Civil Judge and Chief Judicial Magistrate's Court in Mysuru and based on the Court directive, Lakshmipuram Police had filed the FIR.

However, with an elected representative (Siddharamaiah) being listed as accused in the case, the case was recently transferred to a Special Court (82nd Additional City Civil and Sessions Judge) exclusively to deal with criminal cases related to elected MPs/MLAs in Bengaluru.

Entries invited for State award

Mysuru, July 27 (US)- The Department for Empowerment of Differently-abled and Senior citizens, Mysuru, has invited entries from senior citizens and organisation working for the welfare of senior citizens for awarding the State Award (2019-20).

The necessary application can be obtained from the Department office on Pulikeshi Road in Tilak Nagar and filled-in forms in duplicate must be submitted before Aug.9. [Ph: 0821-2490111]

Mayor launches tree-planting drive

Mysuru, July 27 (US&PM) - To create awareness among people on environmental protection, H.C. Dasappa Sarvajanika Vichara Samsthe in association with Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) planted over 25 saplings at the premises of 'Yasho Vilas,' the Office of the Samsthe in VV Mohalla and by the roadside on Gokulam Road.

The programme was launched by Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath. Tree guards were provided by Vidyavardhaka Sangha.

Handbills on environmental protection were distributed.

Samsthe President Dr. K. Mahadev submitted an appeal to Mayor requesting MCC to name roads in city after H.C. Dasappa, Yashodara Dasappa, H.D. Tulasidasappa and K.H. Ramaiah in recognition of their contribution to city and politics.

The Mayor agreed to do the needful after ascertaining the number of roads to be named.

Vidyavardhaka Sangha President Gundappa Gowda, Secretary P. Vishwanath, Samsthe Secretary Saroja Tulasidas and others were present.

Saplings, tree guards distributed

Members of SBM Manju Sneha Balaga distributed saplings and tree guards to the residents of Gokulam by going door-to-door recently. Picture shows a senior resident and retired Director of PU Education B.S. Sridhar Raje Urs handing over a sapling to a resident as N. Raghavan of Raghulal and Co. (tree guard sponsor), Corporator SBM Manju and others look on. Residents of Gokulam and Brindavan Layout, who need saplings and tree guards may contact Mob: 92435-25498 or 99001-12812.

Tulsi plants distribution

As part of World Environment Day celebration, Tulsi plants were distributed at a function organised at Chamundi Temple in Mahadeshwara Layout here recently. Seen in the picture are Parisara Andolana Samithi Secretary J.N. Lakshman, Social Worker K.S. Murali, Environment and Universe Academy President Prakash, Corporator K.V. Sridhar, civil contractor P. Swamy and others.

Yaduveer to inaugurate Zoo Youth Club on July 28

Mysuru, July 27-Youth Club is a unique educational programme for the young people of the Mysuru city, which has been providing conservation education in a genuinely integrated way for the last twenty-six years and growing stronger every year.

Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens (Mysuru Zoo) is often the first contact with nature and so it has been the incubator of the conservationists of tomorrow. The knowledge imparted to the members of this Club is vital to their understanding of the components of biodiversity and their interactions.

It is one of the sustained public awareness campaigns and a communication programme which involves citizens of future to enable them to understand both the utilitarian and the aesthetic importance of nature.

Mysuru Zoo, which has successfully conducted 26 Youth Club activities continuously since its initiation, has organised the inauguration for Youth Club-2019 on Juy 28 at 10.30 am at the Zoo Amphitheatre for the 60 applicants, their parents and general public.

The event will be inaugurated by Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar in the presence of C. Jayaram, Chairman, Zoo Authority of Karnataka (ZAK), Dr. N.H. Ravindranath, retired Professor, Centre for Sustainable Development, IISc., Bengaluru, B.P. Ravi, APCCF and Member-Secretary, ZAK and T. Heeralal, Conservator of Forests, Mysuru Circle. Wildlife enthusiasts and general public may attend the programme.

Animals adopted

The following persons have adopted the animals of Mysuru Zoo under "Adoption of Animals" scheme by paying the adoption fee: V. Bharath, Mandya - Indian Muntjac (Rs.5,000); V.Sundaram, Mysuru - Grey Parrot (Rs.2,000); Phoenix International Academy, Mysuru - Common Peafowl (Rs.3,500); R.Das Gupta, Madhya Pradesh - King Cobra (Rs.3,500); Harish M. Nara, Bagalkot - Peacock (Rs.3,500); S.Suryanarayana, Bengaluru - White Peacock and Red Jungle Fowl (Rs.7,000); H.M. Kumari, Tumakuru - Budgerigar (Rs.1,000); Anarghya Baguru, Bengaluru - Spotted Whistling Duck (Rs.2,000); Ramgad Srinivas, Ballari - Four Horned Antelopem (Rs.5,000).

Renewal of Jaguar adoption

Dhruv Compusoft Consultancy Pvt Ltd. Mysuru, has renewed the adoption of Jaguar under Animal Adoption Scheme by making a payment of Rs.35,000, according to the Zoo Executive Director.

Jalamrutha Project Study reports invited from students

Mysuru, July 27- The Karnataka Rajya Vignana Parishat (KRVP), in association with the Department of Science and Technology and K-STEPS has invited analytical study reports from High School students in connection with 'Jalamrutha' Water Conservation Project.

High School students from any part of the State can send analytical reports on water issues in respect of their city / town /village or nearby areas, not exceeding four pages. If necessary, two or three relevant photographs can be attached with the reports.

The idea behind this initiative is to encourage students to study water issues in their respective areas on a scientific basis and try to find solutions after a scientific evaluation.

The reports must be sent by e-mail to: *krvp.info@gmail.com* or by post to Karnataka Rajya Vignana Parishat, No. 24/2, 21st Main, Banashankari Second Stage, Bengaluru, before Aug.12.

For details, call Ph: 080-26718939 or Mob: 98809-17831 or 94835-49159.

A team of experts will select the best three reports and dispatch them to a State-level meet, where the winners will be rewarded with cash prize and a certificate, according to a press release from KRVP Hon. Secretary Girish Kadlewada.

Urdu Dani exam tomorrow

Mysuru, July 27- Idara e Adbiyat Urdu Hyderabad's Urdu Dani, Urdu Zaban Dani and Insha examination will be held on Sunday (July 28) at 9.30 am at various centres in city. The registered students should write at their respective centres:

1) MEWA Centre, Shanthinagar, **2)** Hilal High School, Ghousianagar, **3)** Al Huda Urdu Learning Centre, Sathyanagar, **4)** Salehat Women Welfare Centre, Bannimantap. For details contact Nyamathulla Khan, Zonal Organiser, on Mob: 88925-06099.

'Vastra Utsav' at JSS Urban Haat

SWR Mysuru Division Divisional Railway Manager (DRM) Aparna Garg looking at a saree at a stall in JSS Mysore Urban Haat in city yesterday as JSS Mahavidyapeetha Executive Secretary Dr. C.G. Betsurmath and others look on.

Mysuru, July 27- "The variety of sarees available from different States in the country under one roof is a treat to the eyes. Even I was tempted to buy a saree," said SWR Mysuru Division DRM Aparna Garg.

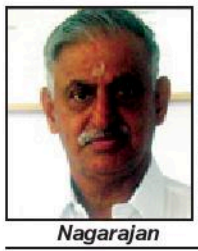
She was addressing the media after inaugurating the 'Vastra Utsav' at the JSS Mysore Urban Haat organised as part of Varamahalakshmi festival at its premises in Hebbal, here yesterday. Urban Haat by regularly organising such festivals is not only helping the artisans and craftspersons from different parts of the country to display their products but also the people of Mysuru have a choice to buy the best products quality at affordable prices, she said.

The sarees and dresses on display and sale include Gujarati silk sarees, Vaishnavi silk sarees, kurtas, dupattas, salwar, winter mask, Mulabagal sarees, Jharkand's Tussar silk, dress materials, West Bengal silk sarees, Madhya Pradesh's Maheshwari cotton, Chanderi sarees, Kashmir printed sarees, Kalamkari sarees, Kanchi and Ilakal sarees which are available in the 64 stalls put up at the Utsav.

JSS Mahavidyapeetha Executive Secretary Dr. Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, JSS Technical Education Division Director Dr. C. Ranganathaiah, Project Officer M. Shivananjaswamy, Administrative Officer R. Rahul, JSS Urban Haat Programme Coordinator Rakesh Rai and others were present.

The expo is on from July 26 to Aug.4 from 10 am to 9 pm everyday.

Mysuru's contribution to Chandrayaan-2 Mission



Nagarajan

Mysuru, July 27-Mysore Polymers and Rubber Products Ltd. (MYPOL), a Mysuru-based company started in 1982 under the leadership of C.D. Nagarajan, Executive Chairman, has added one more feather to its cap of achievements.

MYPOL has supplied 'Linear Rubber Bellow' a very critical part used for 'Heat-Shield separation' in the recent 'Chandrayaan-2' mission. This critical part was jointly developed, over a period of several years, with Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC) engineers and MYPOLs' product and compound development specialists.

After several trials and tests, the part was approved by VSSC for use in the Geosynchronous Satellite Launch Vehicle (GSLV) and Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle (PSLV). Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has used MYPOL parts for the last several years in their successful launches.

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Making society drug-free is our aim: Dr. Basavaraju

Mysuru, July 27- 'There is lack of awareness among today's youth about the dangers of drugs including its ill-effects on physical and mental health,' opined District Surgeon Dr. B. Basavaraju.

He was speaking after flagging off an awareness rally organised as part of International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking at CPC Polytechnic premises in city recently.

'Many Indian youths are spoiling their life by getting addicted to alcohol and drugs. Alcohol is the main culprit for one-third of the road accidents happening at night time and also in one-fourth of the cases, alcohol is to be blamed for sexual assault on women,' he added.

An awareness rally was taken out by the students on the occasion to create awareness among the youth and general public about the ill-effects of drugs. District Mental Health Programme Officer Dr. V. Santosh, Psychiatrist Dr. A.R. Narendra, CPC Polytechnic Principal H.V. Shivaswamy, Health Department staff and others were present.

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KPL Season-8 to begin from Aug.16

Players auction today; Mysuru-leg to take off from Aug.27

Bengaluru, July 27- The eighth edition of the Karnataka Premier League (KPL) is set to commence on Aug.16 in Bengaluru with the defending champions Bijapur Bulls set to square off against the Bengaluru Blasters at M. Chinnaswamy Stadium in Bengaluru.

While the first leg of the Tournament will be played in Bengaluru (Aug.16 to 20), the second will be held in Hubballi (Aug.22 to 25) and the concluding phase in Mysuru (Aug.27 to Sept.1).

KPL 2019 will follow a similar template to the previous season, with the seven teams in the fray namely the Bijapur Bulls, Belagavi Panthers, Bengaluru Blasters, Hubli Tigers, Shivamogga Lions, Ballari Tuskers and Mysuru Warriors battling it out for the ultimate title.

However, in order to spice up the competition and on 'popular demand', the league will welcome the addition of the eliminators and qualifiers, which will replace the existing and traditional mode of the Top 4 teams from the competition making it to the semifinals.

The player auction for the upcoming season is being held today (July 27), with over 200 players set to fall under the hammer split over 35 Pool-A players and 202 Pool-B players' services up for grabs.

A number of India internationals and other top-flight stars will be keen to attract fat contracts, with prominent names such as Manish Pandey, Karun Nair, and Krishnappa Gowtham among others released by their respective franchises. However, the upcoming India's tour of West Indies which will involve the participation of Manish Pandey in the LOI series as well as the Duleep Trophy, slated to begin from Aug.17 could see a few big profile names missing out from a major part of the tournament, that adds excitement to the aspect of teams looking to build a core of Pool-A players.

Retained Players

All the teams were given an option to retain a maximum of two players from across both categories, along with a first of its kind option to exercise an 'RTM' (Right To Match) card, that will give the teams an option to re-sign a player from their KPL 2018 campaign by matching the final bid amount of that player.

- **BALLARI TUSKERS** : C.M. Gautam and Devdutt Padikkal
- **BIJAPUR BULLS** : Bharath Chipli and K.C. Cariappa
- **BELAGAVI PANTHERS** : Shubhang Hegde and D. Avinash
- **BENGALURU BLASTERS** : V. Koushik and Manoj Bhandage
- **HUBLI TIGERS** : R. Vinay Kumar and Praveen Dubey
- **MYSURU WARRIORS** : J. Suchith and Vyshak Vijay Kumar
- **SHIVAMOGGA LIONS** : Nihal Ullal and Prithviraj Shekhawat

AUCTION HIGHLIGHTS

SOLD PLAYERS FROM POOL-A

Pavan Deshpande	**Rs. 7.30 lakh**	(Shivamogga Lions)
Aniruddha Joshi	**Rs. 7.10 lakh**	(Mysuru Warriors)
Mohammed Taha	**Rs. 5.70 lakh**	(Hubli Tigers)
Amit Verma	**Rs. 5.20 lakh**	(Mysuru Warriors)
C.A. Karthik	**Rs. 4.70 lakh**	(Ballari Tuskers)
Prateek Jain	**Rs. 4.50 lakh**	(Bijapur Bulls)
Abhimanyu Mithun	**Rs. 3.60 lakh**	(Shivamogga Lions)
M.G. Naveen	**Rs. 3.50 lakh**	(Bijapur Bulls)
Rohan Kadam	**Rs. 3.20 lakh**	(Bengaluru Blasters)
Aditya Somanna	**Rs. 2.60 lakh**	(Hubli Tigers)
Abhishek Reddy	**Rs. 2.50 lakh**	(Ballari Tuskers)
B.R. Sharath	**Rs. 2.40 lakh**	(Bengaluru Blasters)
Krishnappa Gowtham	**Rs. 1.90 lakh**	(Ballari Tuskers)
Shishir Bhavane	**Rs. 1.80 lakh**	(Hubli Tigers)
Stalin Hoover	**Rs. 1.10 lakh**	(Belagavi Panthers)
Dikshankshu Negi	**Rs. 1 lakh**	(Belagavi Panthers)
K.V. Siddharth	**Rs. 50,000**	(Mysuru Warriors)
T. Pradeep	**Rs. 50,000**	(Ballari Tuskers)

Pavan Deshpande and Aniruddha Joshi finish with the highest contracts from the Pool-A as a number of star names such as Manish Pandey, Karun Nair and Shreyas Gopal failed to find any bidders.

All the unsold players will be brought back on demand at the end of the Pool-B auction. *[Pool-B auction was on when we went to Press]*

Gujarat Fortunegiants, Patna Pirates register dominant wins

Hyderabad, July 27- Parvesh Bhainswal produced a terrific defensive performance as Gujarat Fortunegiants defeated UP Yoddha 44-19 in the Pro Kabaddi League match here yesterday. With two wins from as many games, Gujarat Fortunegiants now are atop the table.

Bhainswal scored 6 tackle points and Rohit Gulia, who completed a Super 10, led the raiding charge for Gujarat Fortunegiants.

In Match 2 on the day, Patna Pirates defeated Telugu Titans 34-22 as their defenders didn't allow Suraj Desai and Siddharth Desai to score raid point.

Siddharth Desai was out of court for more than 20 minutes and failed to take his team forward as Jaideep and Hadi tackled him on most of the occasions.

TODAY'S MATCHES

U Mumba Vs **Puneri Paltan**
7.30 pm

Pink Panthers Vs **Bengal Warriors**
8.30 pm

Venue: Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Indoor Stadium, Mumbai

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Gujarat Fortunegiants 44 bt **UP Yoddha 19**

Patna Pirates 34 bt **Telugu Titans 22**

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Mountain bike cycling selection on Aug.4

Mysuru, July 27 (KS)- The Mysore District Cycling Association (MDCA) will be conducting District-level Mountain Bike Cycling selection on Aug.4 at 6.30 pm at the helipad near Lalitha Mahal Palace in city. The selection is for the 15th State MTB Cycling Championship to be held on Aug.24 and 25 in Vijapur.

The selection is for the following categories: Under 14, Under 16, Under 18 and Elite for both boys and girls. For registration, call Mob: 90352-24717 or 98808-97275 before Aug.3, according to a press release from the Association Secretary.

KSCA Inter-Zonal U-19 Tourney

Narrow win for Mangaluru over Mysuru Zone

Bengaluru, July 27- Mangaluru Zone registered an exciting four-run win over Mysuru Zone in the KSCA Inter-Zonal U-19 Tournament played at the Wheel & Axle Plant Grounds, Bengaluru, on Wednesday.

SCORES

Mangaluru Zone: 253 in 49 overs (Thota Mohammed Azaan 35, Harshith Poojary 56, A.S. Rahul 31, C.H. Nayan 43, Nikhi Naveen Chandra 20, K. Gourav 3 for 44, Abhinoam G. Jacob 5 for 37) bt **Mysuru Zone:** 249 in 50 overs (K.S. Lankesh 46, C. Riutheesh 66, R. Hemanth 29, Satvik Shamnur 26, L.R. Kumar 20, B.P. Manish 4 for 30).

Javagal Srinath inaugurates Priests, Astrologers Cricket Tournament

Former International Cricketer Javagal Srinath wielding the bat to inaugurate the Tennis Ball Cricket Tournament at Railway Workshop grounds on Manandavadi Road in city this morning as others look on.

Mysuru, July 27 (PM&NNN)- Cricket is like a religion in the country and appropriately for the first time the Priests (Agamikas) and Astrologers have come together to play the game instead of performing pujas and reading panchangas (almanac).

Former International Cricketer and Mysuru's own Javagal Srinath inaugurated an eight-over three-day Tennis Ball Cricket Tournament organised by Karnataka Agamikas and Astrologers Cricket Association (KAACA) at the Railway Workshop grounds on Manandavadi Road here this morning, by releasing the pigeons and batting.

Srinath, recalling that even his grandfather was an Astrologer, asked the Agamikas and Astrologers to play the game of cricket with interest and dedication.

He also asked the KAACA members not to limit it to just one tournament but continue to hold it every year as cricket helps build bonds and unity among the community of people who have come from different parts of the State.

Belagavi Hukkeri Hiremath Pontiff Chandrashekar Shivacharya Mahaswamiji said that it was good to see the Priests and the Astrologers, who hold bells and panchanga, today with the bats and balls. He asked them that while they were playing cricket they should not forget their original profession.

Srirangapatna Chandravana Ashram Seer Sri Trinethra Mahanta Shivayogi Mahaswamiji said that cricket is a game which has become popular all over the world and everyone swears by it. Hence, playing this game will help the community to come together.

There are 16 teams in all divided into four groups of A,B, C and D, who will be playing eight-over games. The teams have come from Belagavi, Chintamani, Raichur, Kolar, Hassan, Shivamogga, Bengaluru, Mandya, Bandipur and Mysuru.

The final is slated for July 29 at 1 pm and the winner will take home the trophy and Rs.50,000 in cash while the runners-up will be satisfied with Rs.25,000.

Earlier, to the inauguration of the Tournament, Vishwa Veeraghase troupe performed. Suttur Panchanga Karta Dr. K.G. Puttahonnaiah, Industrialist and Karnataka's first Veeraghase artiste Hemalatha Chidananda, KAACA President Dr. Muguru Madhu Dikshit, Mysuru City and District Brahmana Sangha President D.T. Prakash and others were present.

KSOU implementing new projects to facilitate creation of jobs: VC

Prof. Vidyashankar

Mysuru, July 27- "As the current unemployment crisis is worsening, the Open University is planning to implement a number of projects in order to facilitate creation of jobs," said Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) Vice-Chancellor Prof. S. Vidyashankar.

He was speaking after inaugurating a workshop on Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) organised for the teaching faculty of KSOU recently.

"KSOU will revise its curriculum from 2020-21 by introducing CBCS. With this, University's 17-year-old curriculum will be replaced with new one which will have skill-based content," he added.

Introducing the new system, Dean (Education) Prof. Jagadish said that in accordance with UGC/NAAC orders, it is inevitable for KSOU to implement CBCS for its PG courses.

Former VC Prof. N.S. Ramegowda, who was the chief guest, agreed with the decision to implement CBCS in KSOU.

CBCS Nodal Officer Prof. M. Sridhar, KSOU Registrar Prof. B. Ramesh, UoM Bio-Chemistry Department's Prof. Gopal Marathe and others participated and trained more than 80 lecturers.

MP meets HRD Minister

Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha presented a memorandum to Union HRD Minister Ramesh Pokhriyal at New Delhi recently, seeking funds to Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) in Mysuru. Union Minister for Fertilisers and Chemicals D.V. Sadanandagowda was also present during the meeting.

Admission to Diploma courses at CIPET

Mysuru, July 27- Central Institute of Plastic Engineering and Technology (CIPET) has invited applications for counselling and direct admission for diploma courses for 2019-20.

Candidates, who have passed SSLC, can apply for the course in Plastic Mould Technology and Graduates in Chemistry can apply for PG Diploma in Plastics Processing and Testing.

Applications should be submitted before July 29.

For details, contact Ph: 0821-2510618 or Mob: 94802-53024, according to a press release.

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WORD OF THE DAY

Provender

Pronunciation: PRAH-vun-der.
Meaning: Dry food for domestic animals : feed; food, victuals.
Origin: When English speakers first chewed on the word provender around 1300, it referred to a stipend (also known as a prebend) that a clergyman received from his cathedral or collegiate church. Within a half a century, the word's current meanings had developed. These days you're most likely to encounter provender in articles written by food and travel writers. A few such writers confuse provender with purveyor, meaning "a person or business that sells or provides something," but most of them keep the words straight, as Deidre Schipani does in this quote from the Post and Courier, of Charleston, South Carolina: "The kitchen remains true to its local roots. Buying from island farmers, fisherman, shrimpers, butchers and small local artisans keeps the provender and purveyors in alignment."
Example: The restaurant's chef-owner prides himself on creating dishes from local provender.

THE ODD WORD

Pot-valor

Boldness or courage resulting from alcoholic drink.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Pie in the sky

Meaning: A promise of heaven, while continuing to suffer in this life.

Origin: This is an American phrase and was coined by Joe Hill in 1911. Hill was a Swedish-born itinerant labourer who migrated to the USA in 1902. He was a leading light of the radical labour organisation The Industrial Workers of the World - known as the Wobblies, writing many radical songs for them. The phrase appeared first in Hill's *The Preacher and the Slave,* which parodied the Salvation Army hymn *In the Sweet Bye and Bye.* The song, which criticised the Army's theology and philosophy, specifically their concentration on the salvation of souls rather than the feeding of the hungry, was popular when first recorded and remained so for some years. The phrase wasn't taken up until the Second World War, when it began to be used figuratively to refer to any prospect of future happiness which was unlikely ever to be realised; for example, this report from the California newspaper *The Fresno Bee,* November 1939: The business world is fearful that Roosevelt's obsession with war problems will mean a continued neglect of questions which still restrict trade and profits. They are highly skeptical of Washington's promise that they will 'eat pie in the sky' solely from war orders, which they decry publicly.

QUOTE BOX

Heavy hearts, like heavy clouds in the sky, are best relieved by the letting of a little water. **—Christopher Morley**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the picture rebus below:

Answer :Put the boot on the other foot.

SUDOKU

1							3	
3			7	4			1	
	2						7	6
		4	3	1				8
8				6	2	1		
6	9						8	
	4			3	8			2
	7							1

Answer to previous puzzle

4	7	3	9	1	8	2	5	6
9	1	8	6	5	2	3	4	7
6	5	2	7	3	4	9	1	8
7	3	5	1	2	9	8	6	4
8	8	9	3	4	5	7	2	1
2	4	1	8	6	7	5	9	3
3	8	4	2	9	1	6	7	5
5	9	7	4	8	6	1	3	2
1	2	6	5	7	3	4	8	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Weeps convulsively
5 Indian monarch or king
9 Boat propeller
12 Large black bird
13 Lovable
15 Drug plant
16 A person who studies plants
17 Retributive justice
19 A round or rotation of duties
20 On one's ___ : on one's own ("dot" anagram)?
21 King who ordered the waves to go back
23 ___ in : persuaded to take part?
26 Commonly used pesticide
27 Succour, assistance
28 __ __ even keel : cruising serenely? (2,2)
29 Nintendo gaming console
30 A slope bounding a river valley in Scotland
31 Aeronautical Telecommunications Network
32 The Milky ___ : our galaxy?
33 Errol ____ : ex-Hollywood star of great renown?
34 Jonty ____ : One of the best fielders of his time
36 Haw's partner?
37 Able was I, ___ __ saw Elba? (3,1)
38 Showing boredom with the trap open?
42 Seaport in east China
44 Entrance to the house
45 The axe used by the Red-Indians
46 Sicilian volcano
47 Closest Pt. of Approach
48 Playback singer ___ Nigam
49 Smear with paint

DOWN

1 Scrutinise, look closely
2 Shield or heraldic border
3 Floating river barrier
4 Add sugar to?
5 Like a mad dog
6 Bustles or fuss
7 The least amount?
8 Mountain in eastern Turkey
9 Death announcement
10 Large dog
11 Soak flex or hemp in water
14 Word indicating that the author is unknown
18 A piece of earth
21 Course Deviation Indicator
22 Kolkata's ___ Gardens
23 Bellow like a lion?
24 Caught __ __ _ : caught doing the wrong thing? (2,3,3)
25 A complete picture?
26 Do It Yourself, abbr.
29 Existed
30 Coalesced or mixed
32 Measures heaviness
33 Not many
35 ___ Bank : one of the major nationalised bank in India?
36 Japanese three-line poem of 17 syllables
38 Sign of tiredness
39 A very small amount
40 Socially unacceptable (3-1)
41 Make sudden snatch at
42 Supplemental Type Certificate
43 Monetary unit of Vietnam - "o ha" anagram?

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

S	S	W	■	A	R	G	O	■	C	A	R	P
A	K	A	■	C	Y	A	N	■	A	M	A	R
S	U	I	T	C	A	S	E	■	U	P	T	O
H	A	N	O	I	■	H	U	B	S	■	■	■
■	■	■	O	D	E	■	P	R	E	F	E	R
D	I	A	L	E	C	T	■	A	D	O	R	E
I	N	G	■	N	U	T	A	N	■	N	I	T
S	N	O	U	T	■	S	E	D	A	T	E	S
C	O	G	N	A	C	■	S	I	B	■	■	■
■	■	■	I	L	L	S	■	S	U	A	V	E
J	U	D	O	■	E	I	G	H	T	E	E	N
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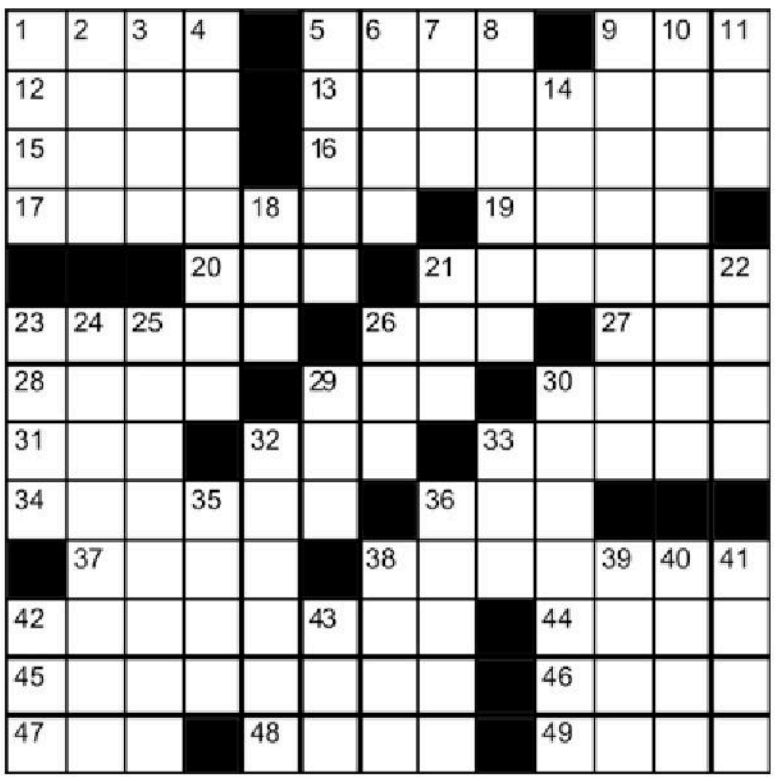

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

FLNKK M'XPMXH CT ZPDZAT FMM PZFK MN FMM

KZNPA QMN ZBAFLCBI AMG DZBF FM SM

TODAY'S CLUE: M EQUALS O

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: The man who has confidence in himself gains the confidence of others.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Dear Comrade	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9986022634	4 Shows
10ne Tharagathi	Sangam	2520494	2 Shows
Jerk	Sangam	2520494	2 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
Sinnga	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
Dasharatha	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Aadi Lakshmi Puraana	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Mahira	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
Rustum	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
HINDI			
Judgemental Hai Kya	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Blank	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
TAMIL			
A1	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Dear Comrade	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
iSmart Shankar	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
---	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
---	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows

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Dear Comrade (Te)	(S-1)	10.15 am, 4.00 pm
	(S-4)	1 pm, 6.40 pm, 9.55 pm
The Lion King (E-3D)	(S-1)	1.35 pm, 7.15 pm
	(S-4)	10.35 am, 4.15 pm
Arjun Patiala (H)	(S-1)	9.55 pm
Super 30 (H)	(S-2)	10.45 am, 4.25 pm
A1 (Ta)	(S-2)	1.45 pm
Judgemental Hai Kya (H)	(S-2)	7.25 pm, 9.55 pm
Dasharatha (K)	(S-3)	10.55 am
Aadi Lakshmi Purana (K)	(S-3)	1.40 pm, 7.15 pm
Mahira (K)	(S-3)	4.15 pm
O.P. 160 / 18 Kakshi: Amminippilla (Ma)	(S-3)	9.55 pm

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The Lion King (E-3D)	(S-1)	10.20 am, 4.20 pm, 6.55 pm
Dear Comrade (Te)	(S-1)	12.55 pm, 9.30 pm
	(S-2)	9.50 am, 6.25 pm
	(S-4)	3.55 pm
Judgemental Hai Kya (H)	(S-2)	1.15 pm, 9.50 pm
	(S-3)	9.50 am
	(S-4)	7.20 pm
Super 30 (H)	(S-3)	12.25 pm, 9.40 pm
Aadi Lakshmi Purana (K)	(S-4)	3.50 pm
Dasharatha (K)	(S-3)	3.35 pm
Arjun Patiala (H)	(S-4)	1.35 pm
Nandanavanadol (K)	(S-4)	11.00 am
Mahira (K)	(S-4)	6.35 pm
A1 (Ta)	(S-4)	9.55 pm

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Dear Comrade (Te)	8.00 am, 11.30 am, 3.00 pm 6.30 pm, 10.00 pm
The Lion King (E-3D)	8.40 am, 11.20 am, 2.00 pm, 7.20 pm, 10.00 pm
Judgementall Hai Kya (H)	9.50 am, 3.50 pm, 9.50 pm
Arjun Patiala (H)	10.30 am, 4.40 pm
Super 30 (H)	12.30 pm, 6.30 pm
Dasharatha (K)	12.55 pm
Aadi Lakshmi Puraana (K)	3.55 pm
Mahira (K)	6.35 pm
Kadaram Kondan (Ta)	9.40 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 27)

Sadhana Mandira: Special Chanting Classes on Sri Lalitha Sahasranama Stotram by Sadhana Mandira's Acharya Swami Hamsananda, Brindavan Extension - Sadhana Mandira, 4th Cross, 1st Stage, **3 pm;** Vijayanagar 1st Stage - Sri Ramakrishna Krupa, # 435, 6th Main, **4 pm;** Srirampura 2nd Stage - Balamuri Vinayaka Temple, Near Naidu Stores, **5 pm;** Kuvempunagar - Sri Ramana Jnana Kendra, Near Apollo Hospital, **6 pm;** Agrahara - Sri Sringeri Shankar Math (Fort Mohalla), **7 pm;** Lakshmipuram - Sri Shivananda Jnanalaya, JLB Road, **8 pm.**

Mysore Bank Colony Residents' Cultural & Welfare Association, Sriramapura: The Annual General Body Meeting for 2018-19, Arunkumar Shettar presides, Janani Janmabhoomi Trust Function Hall, Aravindanagar, **4 pm.**

Kalasuruchi: Story-telling for kids by Dr. R.Purnima, Director, Children's Literary Club, Mysuru, Suruchi Rangamane, #476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.**

Sri Chamundeshwari Bhakta Mandali, Karakushalanagar, Metagalli: Chamundeshwari Jatra Mahotsava, procession of idol of the presiding deity, **5.45 pm.**

Pratibhe Vedike, Mysuru: Lecture and interaction on 'Yoga - Health' with Dr. Jayashri Chandrashekar, Ayurveda, Yoga and Nature Cure Expert, Kshama, President, Srikrupa Balaga, Vivekanandanagar, inaugurates, K. Indumati Rajaratnam, Vice-President, Pratibhe Vedike, Mysuru, presides, Geeta Nagendra Rao, Hon. Advisor, Pratibhe Vedike, Mysuru and Lakshmi Raghavendra, Joint Secretary, Pratibhe Vedike, chief guests, Dr. Pradeepkumar Hebri auditorium, Veerashaiva Sarvajanika Seva Samsthe (Vijaya College), Srirampura 2nd Stage, **6 pm.**

Kalabharathi Wing, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB), Mysuru Kendra: Monthly cultural programme, Karnatak Classical vocal music by Vidu. Vani Sateesh, accompanied by Vidu. Aditi Krishna Prakash on violin, Vid. H.L. Shivashankarswamy on mridanga and Vid. Sharath Koushik on ghata, Y.T. Thathachari Auditorium, BVB premises, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **6 pm.**

Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha: Vidu. M.R. Sudha renders 'Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Memorial Concert,' accompanied on the violin by Vidushi Charulatha Ramanujan, on the mridanga by Anoor Anantha Krishna Sharma and Vidwan R.Srinidhi on the ghata, Mysore K.Vasudevacharya Bhavana, JLB Road, Lakshmipuram, **6 pm.**

Ganabharathi: Special experiment in Bharatanatyam 'Vande Mataram - This Land, Our Home,' [Concept and Choreography is by Ramya S. Kapadia; Dance by Ramya Kapadia and Seema Viswanath; Rajiv Sundaresan has composed music and designed sound; 'Dheem' is featured by Embar Kannan and 'Ghar' by Aditya Sharma], Ganabharathi premises, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Vipranandaji speaks on 'Swami Vivekananda's difficulties in America,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Sri Shivarathreeshwara Religious Endowment, JSS Mahavidyapeetha: Shivanubhava Dasoha-261, Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji graces the occasion, Mysuru and Chamarajanagar District Milk Union-Arakalavadi former President B. Siddhamallaiah presides, Maharani's Arts College Associate Professor Dr. B.V. Vasanthakumar delivers lecture on 'Sharanara Drushtiyalli Mahaamane,' bhajans by Sri Shivarathreeshwara Bhajana Mandali, No.48, 'Akshaya Nilaya,' opposite Allamaprabhu Park, JSS Layout 2nd Stage, Lalitadripura, **6 pm.**

Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama: Chaturmasya Vrata Deeksha programmes by Sri Datta Vijayananda Teertha Swamiji, Junior Pontiff of Avadhoota Datta Peetha, Satsang, Discourse, **6.30 pm;** Kakada Aarti to Lord Dattatreya, Ashrama premises, Datta Nagar, Ooty Road, **8 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 28)

Sadhana Mandira: Special Chanting Classes on Sri Lalitha Sahasranama Stotram by Sadhana Mandira's Acharya Swami Hamsananda, Brindavan Extension - Sadhana Mandira, 4th Cross, 1st Stage, **6.30 am;** Gokulam - Sri Krishna Temple, Chaitanya Bhavan, 6th Main, 4th Cross, **7.30 am;** Vijayanagar 3rd Stage - Saptamathruka Temple, **10.30 am;** N.R. Mohalla - Sri Prasanna Mahaganapathi Temple, **11.30 am;** V.V. Mohalla - Chandramoulishwara Temple, **12.30 pm;** Brindavan Extension - Sadhana Mandira, 4th Cross, 1st Stage, **3 pm;** Vijayanagar 1st Stage - Sri Ramakrishna Krupa, # 435, 6th Main, **4 pm;** Srirampura 2nd Stage - Balamuri Vinayaka Temple, Near Naidu Stores, **5 pm;** Kuvempunagar - Sri Ramana Jnana Kendra, Near Apollo Hospital, **6 pm;** Agrahara - Sri Sringeri Shankar Math (Fort Mohalla), **7 pm;** Lakshmipuram - Sri Shivananda Jnanalaya, JLB Road, **8 pm.**

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Edin Synergy and Conzulere Nextwealth: Edin Badminton League 2019 - A Charity Fundraiser Cricket Tournament for HRs & Academicians, Indoor Badminton Court, University of Mysore, behind Gangothri Glades, Manasagangothri, **9 am.**

Sri Ramakrishna Seva Sangha, Ramakrishna Vidyakendra: H.S. Krishnarao Memorial Inter-School Bhagavad Gita Memorisation Contest, Prof. K. Satyanarayana, retd. Botany Professor, Special Officer, Sri Nataraja Pratishtana, inaugurates, M. Papegowda, President, Sri Ramakrishna Seva Sangha, presides, Sri Sharada auditorium, Ramakrishna Vidyakendra, Ramakrishnanagar, **9.30 am.**

Ursu Mandali Sangha: Annual General Body Meeting (AGM), educational, cultural competitions and indoor games, Sangha premises, Thyagaraja Road, **10 am.**

Sri Venkatesha Sabha, Mysuru: Sri Vedanta Deshika's 750th anniversary and Sri Venkatesha Sabha centenary celebrations Valedictory and Souvenir release, Book release — 'Ghantavataravaibhavam' and 'Acharyasthotrani Bhaaga - 2' — Sri Abhinava Vageesha Brahmatantra Swatantra Parakala Swamiji graces the occasion, Dr. Sogattur Ramanujacharyar Sri Ahobila Mutt chief guest, Sri Venkatesha Sabha President K.S. Vijayaraghavan presides, Sri Sarada Vilas Centenary Hall, Krishnamurthypuram, **10 am.**

Karnataka Dalita Vedike, Mysuru: Decennial celebrations, Buddha, Basava and Ambedkar Jayanti celebrations, Pratibha Puraskar presentation to SC/ST students and 'Karunada Bhushana' award presentation, Sri Jnanaprakasha Swamiji graces the occasion, former Minister G.T. Devegowda inaugurates, Karnataka Dalita Vedike District President Hinkal Somu presides, MLA Dr. Yathindra Siddharamaiah felicitates students, MLA Harshavardhan presents awards, Maharaja's College Centenary Hall, **10 am.**

Kuvempunagar Kodava Residents Association, Mysuru: 18th annual get-together, Association President Ithichanda P. Kalappa presides, Mysuru Kodava Samaja Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa auditorium, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, **10 am.**

Central Government Pensioners' Association (CGPA), Mysuru: Annual General Body Meeting (AGM), Pratibha Puraskar and Health Camp, Association President Dr. T.S. Sathyanarayana Rao presides, Sadvidya Educational Institution, Narayan Shastry Road, **10.30 am.**

Sri Vittala Rukmini Charitable Trust: 6th annual matrimonial meet of Bhavasar Kshatriya community, Sri Vittala Rukmini Convention Hall, Hunsur Road, **11 am to 4 pm.**

District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru and Sapna Book House: Book release — Nadoja Prof. Kamala Hampana's autobiography 'Beru-Benki-Bilalu' — by senior writer Dr. Banjagere Jayaprakash, senior writer Prof. G.H. Nayaka presides, Prof. H.M. Krishnaiah chief guest, Kamala-Hampana couple will be present, Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), JLB Road, **4.30 pm.**

Susangha Basava Balaga and Basava Spoorthi Mahila Balaga, Giridarshini Layout, Alanahalli: Sri Shivakumaraswamy Memorial programme and Basava Jayanti celebrations, Sri Gurushantaswamiji of Kuderu Mutt graces the occasion, Economics Dept. Professor at JSS College (Ooty Road) D.S. Sadashivamurthy presides, talk on 'Basavanna' by Dr. B. Prabhuswamy and talk on 'Sri Shivakumaraswamiji' by H.S. Siddhamallikarjunaswamy, Kuderu Shakha Mutt, Alanahalli, **5.30 pm.**

Dakshina Kannada Doctor's Cultural Association (DKDCA), Mysuru: Dance and Music Festival, theatre artiste Mime Ramesh chief guest, DKDCA President Dr. C. Umesh Kamath presides, Jaganmohan Palace, **5.30 pm.**

Layavidya Pratishtana: Guru Purnima, Sri Arjuna Avadhoota Guruji of Swarnanrusimha Sai Peethika Seva Trust graces the occasion, talk on 'Guru-Shishya Parampare' by *Veda Brahma* S. Vishwanatha Shastri, 'Guru Vandane' by stduents of Layavidya Pratishtana, music concert by Vid. Bellary M. Raghavendra and troupe, 'Sankeerthanam' no.4, 12th block, SBM Colony, near Canara Bank, Srirampura 2nd Stage, **6 pm.**

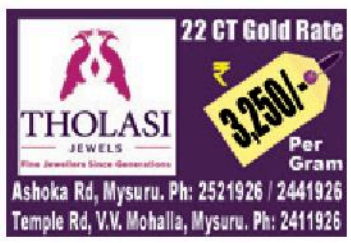
Unnathi: Raagaarogya - Musical event all about Music Therapy and Health, Dr. Khader Valli (The Millets Specialist) delivers a talk on Health and Sriharsha (singer of SaReGaMaPa fame) briefs about Music Therapy, Kalamandira, **6 pm.**

Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha: Kamalamma Gopalakrishna Chetty Memorial Bharatanatyam recital by Kannika Bhat and Party from New Delhi, Mysore K.Vasudevacharya Bhavana, JLB Road, Lakshmipuram, **6 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Muktidanandaji speaks on 'Bhagavad Gita and Karma Yoga,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Shruthimanjari Foundation, Mysuru: Karnatak classical music concert in memory of Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar (Sri JC Wadiyar), Vid. Dr. Srikantham Nagendra Shastry renders the compositions (krithis) of the Maharaja, accompanied by Vid. Dr. R. Raghuram on violin and Vid. B.S. Anand on mridanga, Rotary West Auditorium, opposite Kamakshi Hospital, Saraswathipuram, **6 pm.**

Natana School of Theatre Arts: Staging of play 'Ushaharana,' School premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**



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